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MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHAIRMAN, DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE  
COMPUTER SECURITY SUBCOMMITTEE

SUBJECT: Revision of DCID 1/16

Ref: Director Central Intelligence Directive (DCID) No. 1/16, "Security of Foreign Intelligence in Automated Data Processing Systems and Networks", 6 June 1978.


1. Recommend the following policy changes/additions be incorporated into

DCID 1/16:

- a. The recognition of the Expanded Compartmented Mode (see enclosure for definition) as an additional authorized mode of operation for the computer processing of sensitive compartmented information (SCI).
  - b. The elimination of mandatory DCID 1/14 personnel security requirements for collateral level user access to computers operating in the Compartmented and Expanded Compartmented Modes.
  - c. Guidance establishing a uniform ADP security program for Intelligence Community contractors that process SCI by computer.
  - d. A redefinition of the Dedicated System and System High modes based upon ADP system function/user access rather than types of data processed.
2. Further recommend that the revised DCID 1/16 be developed and released at the unclassified level.

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1 Enclosure a/s

  
DIA Alternate Member, CSS

EXPANDED COMPARTMENTED MODE

Expanded Compartmented Mode. Authorizes designated remote terminals and peripheral devices secured to the SECRET level, and/or personnel cleared for SECRET material access to an ADP system or ADP network which concurrently processes and/or stores sensitive compartmented information (SCI) and collateral level materials. SECRET level access is restricted to collateral SECRET or below materials. Need-to-know separation is strictly enforced. ADP systems and networks operating in the Expanded Compartmented Mode require additional security measures to ensure protection of SCI.

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